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Title, Fee Simple, subject to a mortgage thereon for $1,500 and interest at 10 per cent. from December 15, 1888.

Further particulars upon application to FREDERICK HUSSEY, Administrator.
Kamloops, Dec. 20, 1889.

The time for receiving tenders for the above property is extended until March 1, 1890.
feb1-6t F. HUSSEY.

VICTORIA-COLUMBIA LODGE, No. 1, A. F. & A. M., B. C. R.—Regular Communication first Thursday each month, at Masonic Temple, corner Douglas and Fisgard streets, at 7:30 p.m. Sojourning brethren cordially invited.
jan2-1y R. B. ESNOUF, Secretary.

NOTICE.

All persons claiming exemption from Jury duty are requested to send in their names and the reason for claiming such exemption to

JAMES C. PREVOST,
Reg. Supreme Court,
Law Courts, Victoria.
Victoria, Jan. 31, 1890. fy1-

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(Late of El Paso, Tex.)
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jan29-

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AT EIGHT O'CLOCK.

A specially attractive programme has been provided.
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The celebrated Steinway Piano used by the Emma Juch Grand English Opera Company. fy9td

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Victoria Jockey Club.

At the spring meeting of the Victoria Jockey Club to be held about May 24th, a purse of $500, and a piece of plate will be given for a race to be called "The Queen's Plate," open to all "maiden" horses, bred, raised and owned in the province; weight for age, V. J. C. rules.

NOTE.—A "maiden" horse is one that has never won a race in any country.

For further particulars enquire

D. E. CAMPBELL,
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Wednesday, 26th Feb'y, 1890.

Tickets $2.00, including Gentleman and Ladies. jy30

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A GRAND MASK BALL

Will be given by the above club in OLIVER'S HALL, BROAD STREET on

WEDNESDAY, THE 12 INST.

Tickets, $1.00 each, including refreshments. COMMITTEE.
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LOST—RECEIPT BOOK AND APPLICATION forms of J. K. Gill & Co. and Chas. Stark & Co. The finder will be rewarded by leaving them at J. K. Gill & Co.'s office, Broad St., Green Block. f8-6t

British Columbia Milling & Mining Co.
[LIMITED.]

AN adjourned annual general meeting of the shareholders of the above company will be held at the Company's office, 48 Langley street, Victoria, B. C., on Monday, 10th February, next, at 11 a. m.
GEO. A. SARGISON, Secretary.
Victoria, 3rd February, 1890. feb4

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

LOST—In vicinity of Central School, Black Spaniel Pup, five months old, name Neptune. Reward if returned to J. Colquhoun, Moss street. feb11

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Successors to Mitchell & Johnston,
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JANUARY 3, 1890. jan2-1mo

CAPITAL NOTES.

Second Reading of the Orange Incorporation Bill.

A Bill to Prevent Hocky Playing on Sundays.

Loyal Address of the Colored Population of Canada Presented to the Premier.

(From our own Correspondent).

OTTAWA, Feb. 10.—The Orange Incorporation Bill was read a second time this afternoon by a vote of 85 to 69. The British Columbia contingent voted solid for the bill.

Mr. Charlton's resolution for the appointment of a special committee to enquire into the exodus to the States was rejected by a majority of 31.

McGibbon, a leading Montreal lawyer, saw the Government relative to Taylor's Anti-Alien Labor Bill. He says if the bill is passed in its present shape it will do a great deal of harm to certain Montreal manufacturers who import skilled labor from the States every year. The Government said that before the bill passed all parties interested would be heard.

Mr. Wallace gives notice of a bill to amend the Combines Act by making its provisions more stringent.

Mr. Charlton will introduce a bill to prevent hocky playing on Sundays. This is aimed at the members of the vice-regal household.

Efforts are being made to induce the government to drill all rural battalions of militia this year.

The loyal address of the negro population of Canada was presented to the premier to-day.

The average cost of surveying the territories is four cents an acre.

CABLE NEWS.

Forecast of the Queen's Speech.

LONDON, Feb. 10.—The Queen's speech, which is to be delivered to Parliament at the opening of the session to-morrow, was read at the ministerial dinner to-night. The address sets forth that the troubles with Portugal have been settled. Papers relating to the same, and the extradition treaty with the United States are laid before Parliament for approval. Ireland, Her Majesty states, will demand a prominent place in the attention of Parliament. Since the adjournment of last session there has been a marked diminution of agrarian crime in Ireland in consequence of which the government has largely decreased the number of counties wherein the exceptional law known as the Crimes Act is enforced. The government will besides bring other measures forward designed to improve the material interests of Ireland. For England there will be introduced a land transfer bill, and an employers' liability bill. For Scotland measures will be introduced to improve the dwellings of the working men and to alleviate the distressed condition of the Highlanders.

Personals.

PARIS, Feb. 10.—The announcement is made that the Comte de Paris will return to England, he having abandoned his tour to America.

The mother of the Duke of Orleans, now imprisoned in this city, has arrived.

The New Extradition Treaty.

LONDON, Feb. 10.—The extradition treaty between England and America now awaits only the assent of the American government.

The Threatened Strike.

LONDON, Feb. 10.—At to-day's mass meeting of dock laborers, called for the purpose of considering the question of a strike, John Burns, who successfully managed the former strike, urged that the men delay action until the dockers' union is strong enough to enforce a demand for an additional penny an hour, instead of a strike now on a question of the employers' bad faith. Burns' advice will doubtless have great weight with the men.

The Duc D'Orleans Affair.

PARIS, Feb. 10.—Counsel for the Duc d' Orleans will argue that the new recruiting law abrogates the clause of the expulsion act which forbade members of former royal families from entering the army, and that the duke is therefore not liable to any penalty for his action.

A Big Land Grant.

LONDON, Feb. 10.—It is stated upon reliable authority that the government will ask parliament for a grant of £20,000,000 for land purchased in Ireland, the request being embodied in a bill providing for the extension of the Ashbourne Act and an enlargement of its powers.

PACIFIC COAST NEWS.

Dropped Dead.

PORTLAND, Feb. 10.—Thomas Riley, son of R. R. Riley, of this city, dropped dead this afternoon of heart disease. Deceased was a young man, 22 years of age.

The Juch Opera Co.

The Emma Juch Opera company opened the new Marquan theatre to-night. They opened with "Faust." Every seat was sold and the house was packed to the roof.

WORSE THAN KNOWN.

The California Road Buried and Swamped.

A Landslide Moves One Thousand Feet With Masts Standing—A Deplorable Condition.

PORTLAND, Feb. 8.—The situation of the railway blockade remains practically unchanged. Superintendent Brandt, of the Southern Pacific company, said to-day: "We have found our Waterloo and there is absolutely no telling when we can get our through trains in motion. Our facilities for securing detailed reports from wrecked portions of the road are so inadequate I cannot say just what the condition of the road is, but I feel sure it could hardly be worse."

The Southern Pacific between here and Roseburg, it is thought, will be running in a day or two, but south of Roseburg it is in a terrible condition. False trestles and bridges will be put in, and where cuts cannot be made quickly through land slides, roads will be run around the obstructions temporarily.

A dispatch from Glendale states that an immense slide occurred on the railroad in Cow Creek canyon. A slide came down from the mountain a distance of about 1,000 feet, covering the track and filling the canyon. Trees are reported to be standing on the slide just as they were on the mountain.

Water is backed up in the canyon for three miles, 500 feet wide and from fifty to seventy-five feet deep. Tunnel 3 is completely covered with water.

On the Union Pacific line between here and the Dalles about two miles of slides have occurred, mostly in the vicinity of the Cascades. A large force of men are now at work clearing the road, and it is stated trains will arrive next Tuesday. At present passengers and mails are sent by boat and transferred at the Cascades.

AMERICAN NEWS.

Perished in the Snow.

MINNEAPOLIS, Feb. 10—The Journal's Langdon, N. D., correspondent says that during the storm on Thursday a Norwegian, name unknown, came to town, filled up on whiskey and started for home, ten miles away. He never arrived there, and is supposed to be buried under the snow. On Saturday another storm came up, and while it was raging Mrs. Wm. King started to return home from a neighbor's. She lost her way, and yesterday she was found dead within twenty rods of her house.

Ice in the Atlantic.

NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—The Dutch steamship Amsterdam, which arrived at this port from Amsterdam this morning, reports that on February 5th she passed icebergs apparently about 150 feet high and proportionately large. When about six miles north of a big field of pack ice, on February 5th, she spoke the bark Oliver Emery, of Saint John, N. B. The Emery reported being out seventy-five days from Dublin, bound for Halifax. For thirty hours she had been imprisoned in the ice pack, and was leaking from damages sustained to her hull from the ice. She lost a piece of her stern, and was short of provisions, which the Amsterdam supplied.

A Rough Voyage.

NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—The new steamer Duro, which left Hull for this port January 18th, and about which considerable anxiety was expressed, sailed into Lower Bay this morning with her bridge and light deck fixtures gone. The voyage had been an unusually rough one, with icebergs and icefields in great number.

Without a Quorum.

HELENA, Mont., Feb. 10.—Information has been received here that Democratic State Senator Becker crossed the Idaho-Montana line on a special train this morning. By his action the senate is left without a quorum, as all of the Democratic senators are now beyond the frontiers of Montana. The question now confronts the senate whether the legislation had on Saturday night can become law, as the law requires that the Lieutenant-Governor shall sign bills in the presence of the senate, and the bills passed on Saturday night are not yet signed. Legal advice will be taken to ascertain whether the affixing of the president's signature in the presence of a quorum is obligatory. If it is found to be unnecessary, the appropriation bills will be signed and sent to the Government.

Disabled at Sea.

BALTIMORE, M. D., Feb. 10.—A despatch received here to-day says that the steamer Carthagenian, from Liverpool for Baltimore, was picked up Friday evening off Cape Henlopen with a broken propellor shaft, by the steamer Claudeboye. The Carthagenian was towed into Delaware breakwater, where she is now anchored.

Tried! Tested! Proved!

A Year ago last summer I was troubled with dysentery. I procured Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry and took according to directions, which completely cured me. ROBERT E. GREEN, Lyndhurst, Ont. This medicine cures all looseness of the bowels. sw

EUROPEAN GOSSIP.

Preparing for the Opening of Parliament.

Funeral of the Victims of the Recent Mine Explosion.

Lord Churchill Will Introduce a Bill to Regulate the Liquor Traffic—The Parnell Commission Report.

A SAD SCENE.

LONDON, Feb. 10.—The burial of the bodies of the seventy miners, who were killed by the explosion in the mine at Monmouthshire last Thursday, took place to-day. The scene was extremely impressive, but the weeping and wailing of the hundreds of widows and orphans, whose manifestations of grief were unrestrained, marked the occasion as one never to be forgotten by the beholders. As the procession started for the church, it was headed by a choir of boys and men, who chanted wierd Welsh dirges, which, mingling with the cries and groans of the mourners, produced an effect which the least emotional bystander was powerless to withstand. The shops were all closed, and during the burial ceremonies business of every kind was suspended.

IMPERIAL PARLIAMENTARY NOTES.

It is positively stated to-night that the report of the special commission to investigate the charges made by the Times against Parnell and his home rule colleagues will be presented to Parliament immediately after the formal opening of that body to-morrow. It is learned that a van, containing 1,200 copies of the report for the use of members and others entitled to be served with it specially, will be driven to the House of Commons shortly before parliament is convened under a guard particularly charged with the duty of preventing a copy from falling into unauthorized hands.

Six new members, who have been returned during the recess, will be sworn in. Four of these are Liberals and the remaining two are Tories. The numerical strength of the Tories in this session of parliament will be less by 32 members than at the beginning of the session of 1886, since which time the Conservatives have gradually grown weaker.

Lord Randolph Churchill has authorized the announcement that he will introduce a bill to regulate the liquor traffic, which will include a clause providing for local option.

THE LABOR QUESTION IN GERMANY.

The recent rescripts of Emperor William on the labor question have given them throughout the empire the greatest possible publicity. This is especially true of Saxony, where the imperial decree is placarded at every street corner in every town in the kingdom. It is significant, too, that while in that part of the empire, more particularly than elsewhere, a crowd congregating on the street corner is ordinarily made to disperse. Gatherings around these places are not molested.

FATAL GAS EXPLOSION.

An explosion of gas occurred in the cellar of a wine merchant at Erfurt today, killing two men and badly damaging the building.

SUNDAY'S DESPATCHES.

Possible Renewal of the Great Dockmen's Strike.

Interest Manifested in a Coming Parliamentary By-Election—Comment on the Duc D'Orleans Escapade.

ANOTHER GREAT STRIKE THREATENED.

LONDON, Feb. 9.—Twenty thousand dock laborers met to-day on Tower Hill and listened to a number of speeches by prominent labor leaders on the possible renewal of the great dock men's strike. The well-known agitator, Tillet, in his address alleged that the employers have been shirking the full programme by their part of the agreement upon which the settlement of the great strike was based. The men seem eager to strike, but are held in check by their leaders for the present in the hope that their employers may be induced by peacable argument to adopt a fairer course toward the men. The renewal of the strike would be a great blow to the commercial interests of London.

PARLIAMENTARY ELECTION.

The parliamentary election at Patrick on Tuesday is looked forward to with great interest. The voting is expected to be very close. The odds have been in favor of the Conservatives, but the aspect of affairs seems to have changed somewhat within the past two or three days on account of the extraordinary efforts put forth by the Liberals, who have become aroused to the importance of gaining all the Scotch seats possible. The Unionists are not believed to be doing their full share of the work, and the Conservatives are growing less confident of success. The Liberal managers made an error in the first part of the campaign by attacking Lord Salisbury's Portuguese policy, which is not so unpopular among the commercial and religious classes, as to warrant making it a leading point in the canvass. This course has been corrected and greater stress put upon the land reform and local self government clauses of the Liberal platform, and the result has been highly satisfactory to the Liberal workers.

THE DUC D'ORLEANS' ESCAPADE.

The newspapers here treat the Duc D'Orleans' escapade wholly in the lightof opera bouffe, and do not admit that the episode can have any political importance. The articles on the subject generally conclude, however, with the admission that no foreigner can tell what effect any given set of circumstances will have on the French mind, and it is pointed out that what the young pretender has done is not half so ridiculous as the actions of Louis Napoleon on several occasions before he finally reached the rulership of France.

ANOTHER RUSSIAN SCHEME.

The Opine de Rome declares that Russia is intriguing againt the interest of Italy in Abyssinia, and is seeking to obtain a harbor on the East African coast at which forts will be built and other steps taken to establish a basis of warlike operations. Italy's jealousy as to her high prized African possessions is probably sufficient to account for this statement, as there are no known facts on which it could be based.

NEW AUSTRIAN PEERS.

It is announced that Emperor Francis Joseph of Austria will shortly strengthen his government's position by creating a number of new peers.

No greater slaughter is recorded in history than the slaughter of millinery goods at the Lansdowne House, Yates street.

THE UTAH ELECTIONS.

A Defeat for the Mormons—The Gentiles Wild with Joy—Salt Lake City Illuminated.

SALT LAKE CITY, Feb. 10. — At six p.m. the chairman of the Gentile party claimed the election of the Liberal ticket by 400 majority. The chairman of the Mormon committee says it is impossible to state figures yet. He asserts that there has been such glaring frauds that the matter will have to be settled by the Supreme court of the United States. The polls closed at six o'clock p. m. The Liberal leaders posted a bulletin claiming 1,200 majority. The news spread rapidly and the gentiles became wild with joy. They literally took possession of the city, the Mormons retiring to their homes. Flags were run up in all directions and lanterns and fireworks illuminated the streets and buildings. Cannons boomed, bonfires were lighted at every corner, and hundreds of men in line paraded the streets, with drums and torches, yelling like mad. No such scenes were ever witnessed before in Utah. The Mormons admit this defeat, but say that it was brought about by most glaringly illegal methods, and that the result will be reversed by the courts. They do not think the majority shown by the returns will exceed four hundred.

A REEF OF PRODIGALITY,

On Which Was Wrecked the Empire of Brazil.

The Provisional Minister of Finance Tells What Caused the Monarchial Downfall and Comments Thereon.

BALTIMORE, Md., Feb. 9.—Thornton Rollins, coffee importer, to-day received a copy of the Rio News of January 6th, which contains the statement of Ruy Berbose, minister of finance of Brazil. He says: "The national debt left us as an inheritance by the monarchy is more than one million contes de-reis. This enormous total will equal the recipts of the state for nearly seven years, estimating at $150,000,000 our annual revenue. Let the country, therefore, know what it owes upon this side to the regime now happily extinct, and to show how few regrets it has to claim from the side of the classes whose labor promotes industry, enriches the sources of taxation and develops general wealth. At the same time this lesson becomes seasonable to serve as a warning to the growing republic, and especially to its founders, whose example cannot but influence the character of our future habits, so that we may learn to escape this reef of prodigality, which appears to exercise such a deep and fatal attraction in our day upon the policy of democracies." He urges the pruning of expenses, eliminating of useless departments, filling of offices by persons of merit and capacity, limiting "apasentadas" (officials retired on salaries) to the cases marked by law. Then he continues. "Let us not multiply the pension which drop by drop may grow into torrents of ruinous expense. Let us restrict; let us fly from republican favoritism, from the immoral and fatal transformation of old monarchial nepotism; let us not contribute to the continuance in force under the new situation of habits of a nation of place hunters; and should we proceed in this manner we shall have passed over half the road towards the reform of our finances, reconstitution of our credit, and fertilization of our vital energies.

SHIP HARBOR.

Marvelous Growth of the New City, Anacortes.

A visitor to Anacortes, the new city on Fidalgo Island, states that that place has had a marvelous growth and continues to fill strangers, and even residents, with amazement. That a town of such a size should take the place of a dense forest in a night, as it were, is beyond common understanding. It would seem as if a great wizard had passed his wand over the face of the country, and while we were looking produced the change. For many years it has been prophesied that a large city would be built at Ship Harbor, for many years its pioneers have waited for the fulfilment of the prophecy—it has come at last and they are reaping their reward.

The story of the progress of the place may seem incredible to some. About three weeks ago there were only four or five small buildings scattered about the neighborhood, hardly close enough together to satisfy the name of village. To-day there are some 200 buildings in the town occupied or nearly ready for use. Contracts for numerous other buildings are let, and with the approaching spring weather building operations will be carried on on a much more extensive scale. One of the buildings, for which the contract is let, is a three-story brick hotel, with offices for the Bank of Anacortes on a portion of the ground floor.

People are scrambling for eligible property and there is a steady increase in values. Lots that were sold since the 15th January have doubled, trebled and even quadrupled in price. Property, in what is deemed to be the best business situation, leases at two dollars per foot frontage per month, and one lease has been taken at three dollars per foot. The streets are well defined, and are being built up in solid blocks. Nearly all branches of trade and commerce are already represented, and the professions are not absent. Mechanics and laborers are in great demand, and the population numbers some 1,500. Three steamers a day, and twice a week four, land at the extensive new wharf, both going and coming, each steamer bringing large passenger and freight lists. The wharf presents a remarkable scene of activity and bustle all day long.

The Oregon Improvement Co. state that they will be shipping coal from the Cumberland mine in the Skagit valley at Ship Harbor by September next. They are also arranging for the San Francisco steamers to call at Anacortes before going to Seattle, to discharge freight for that port, and for ports north and east on the Sound, thus making it a distributing point.

SPORTS AND PASTIMES.

WRESTLING.

Richardson, of Vancouver, who is training at Esquimalt for his match with Quinn on Friday night, is suffering from a severe cold in the head, caused by getting wet while out for a run.

Dan McLeod is coming up from San Francisco, where he has been training, to witness the Quinn-Richardson match.

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CANADIAN NEWS.

Rumored Retirement of Sir Adolphe Caron.

Shocking Double Murder at Miami, Manitoba.

An Old Man Deliberately Shoots His Son and Daughter-in-Law and Makes No Denial of the Deed.

A Double Tragedy.

WINNIPEG, Feb. 10.—At Miami, Man., on Saturday night a terrible double tragedy occurred, John Morton and his wife, aged respectively 52 and 54 years, being shot in cold blood by Morton's father, aged 93 years, who was residing with them. John Morton was absent from his home, and during his absence the old man and Mrs. Morton had some angry words, which ended by Morton striking his daughter-in-law with a piece of wood. On the son's return he rebuked the old man for his actions, whereupon the father said: "Do you see that rifle? I want you to take it down and shoot me or I will shoot you." The son paid no attention to this remark, going into another room. The old man took down the gun, went outside and fired through the window, instantly killing his son, the bullet entering his heart. The hired man ran to a neighbor's for assistance, and during his absence Mrs. Morton was shot in the abdomen by Morton. She only lived an hour. The old man does not deny the crime, and says he did it intentionally.

Verdict of Wilful Murder.

WINNIPEG, Feb. 10.—The jury at the coroner's inquest held over the remains of John Morton and wife, murdered at Miami on Saturday by their father, returned a verdict of wilful murder. Morton was taken in charge by a constable and left for Winnipeg to-night.

Rumored Retirement of Sir A. P. Caron.

OTTAWA, Feb. 10.—A rumor is afloat this morning, but is denied by the Free Press, that Canada is shortly to lose its Minister of War. Sir A. P. Caron is to retire to the comfortable berth of collector of customs at Quebec, and will probably be succeeded by Kirkpatrick, who is one of the most popular members of the House.

Rumored Recall of Lord Stanley.

OTTAWA, Feb. 10.—Despatches in the English papers say that they have a movement on foot to recall Lord Stanley and secure the appointment of Sir John Macdonald instead. While this is not absolutely correct, there is a strong feeling that the present incumbent of Rideau Hall does not somehow or other fill the bill.

Telegram from Lieut. Stairs.

HALIFAX, Feb. 10.—The following answer was received here this morning from Lieut. Stairs, of the Stanley expedition, now in London, in reply to a congratulatory message sent him by Mayor McPherson in this city: "I thank you for your telegram. It is with surprise and pleasure that I received such words from my native town."

The Late Senator Macdonald's Estate.

TORONTO, Feb. 10. — The following disposition has been made of Senator John Macdonald's estate, which is valued at $1,600,000: To establish a hospital, $100,000; to each of his ten children, $100,000; his wife, $10,000 per annum; his brother Alexander, $20,000. In addition to their $100,000 each, John K. and F., sons of deceased, will inherit the family residence and grounds, valued at $340,000, in the proportion of 60 and 40 per cent respectively. Victoria college is left $25,000 on condition that it is moved to Toronto.

Personal.

WINNIPEG, Man., Feb. 10.—Senator Reid, of Cariboo, B. C., and Lieut.-Col. Holmes, of the "C" battery, Victoria, are in the city.

The Winnipeg Bonspiel.

WINNIPEG, Man., Feb. 10.—Curlers from London, Ont., Milwaukee, Wis., and all over Manitoba, arrived to-day for the bonspiel which opens to-morrow. The event promises to be one of the greatest on ice ever held in Canada.

The Behring's Sea Question.

TORONTO, Feb. 10.—A Washington special says there is reason to believe that Secretary Blaine and Sir Julian Pouncefote are both very hopeful that an understanding will be reached between the United States and Great Britain relative to the Behring's Sea before it will be necessary to make arrangements for the fishing season. It is not meant by this that the treaty may be negotiated by that time, but that a preliminary agreement may be reached, to be followed by the treaty.

ANOTHER BOOM TOWN.

The Sioux Reservation Thrown Open for Settlement.

A Rush of Settlers to Secure Choice Locations—The Wild Scenes of Oklahoma Repeated.

WASHINGTON, D.C., Feb. 10.—President Harrison to-day issued a proclamation throwing open to settlement the relinquished portion of the Sioux reservation, in accordance with the terms of the act approved last March, dividing the reservation into two separate reservations, and providing for the relinquishment of the Indian title to the remainder.

A RUSH OF SETTLERS.

CHAMBERLAIN, S. D., Feb. 10.—The loud report of a cannon this afternoon was the signal for the boomers to enter the Sioux reservation in accordance with the President's proclamation. Hundreds of teams with great loads of lumber started on a dead run across the river, and a hundred or more Indian police, placed as a guard to prevent any premature invasion, stood dazed and helpless as they saw the great and irresistible rush for the reservation. A most novel sight was the moving of a large building, under which had been put heavy timbers and wheels. This, like the other wagons, was pushed across the river by galloping horses. There were a number of smash-ups in the rush, but as yet no fatalities have been reported. Houses are being built to-night by the light of lanterns and the morning sun will shine on scores of new houses, many of them grouped in the new town on the west side of the river.

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THE TIMES AND THE TEACHERS.

The impression conveyed by the articles on the administration of the Education Department, appearing every night in the Times, is as false as anything can be. From their general tenor the public might be led to think that the government of the Education Department was a government of tyranny. Those who are ignorant of the facts must think that a certificate is cancelled at least once a week, and so, when we pointed out the other day that only one certificate had been cancelled in a dozen years, or during the time that the present administrators had been in power, the Times totally ignored so important a factor in the discussion. The Times should make an effort, occasionally, to be honest in its conduct towards the Education Department, and it would be well if it began a life of reformation by frankly admitting this one fact, as to this cancellation. The astounding thing about the cancellation of this one, solitary certificate, is, that it was not done long before. The action was at last, absolutely forced on the Department. The power of cancelling a certificate has rested with the Superintendent of Education, under the approval of higher authority, for the long period of 18 years, and it remains so now. The only alteration in the act of last year was to place the milder and gentler power of "suspension, for cause," in the hands also of the Superintendent, with the same safeguard of higher authority; but will readers of the Times believe us when we state, and state without any reserve, that this power of suspension has never once been exercised? We could go through the column of calumny and abuse that appeared on Saturday and correct, with explanations, every statement, and even every insinuation, but the task is a profitless one, for we fear that the Times has determined to try its worst to undermine the interests of education in this province, altogether irrespective of facts. When it uses the strong language habitual to the feeble writer when it speaks of the "disgraceful acts," the "discreditable acts," the "supercilious disdain of narrow-minded and unscrupulous men" it may be taken for granted that it has made up its mind to damage, if it cannot destroy, the usefulness of the Department of Education.

One very serious charge brought by the Times is that "Ministers of the Crown" and the Superintendent of Education interfere with the appointment of teachers to the schools; and at once let us say that charge is quite untrue. As everybody knows, the power of appointing teachers rests exclusively with the trustees of each school district, and as the trustees are popularly elected and unpaid gentlemen of the province, it is not likely that they will allow anyone to interfere with their powers. The Times takes it for granted and virtually says that the trustees are fools. We may add there is never the slightest wish on the part of the Education Department so to interfere, but on the contrary we have the best authority for stating that even when the advice of the department is asked, it is only given after the clearest, the most urgent and the most formal request. There are some 350 trustees in the province, and so if there were any truth whatever in the statements about the interference with their prerogatives we should have had the facts produced before now by some of these 350 gentlemen. But as no facts have been forthcoming, notwithstanding the daily drumming and tooting of the Times, it is because there are no facts to come forth.

The Times continues its attack by saying that at some meeting of the "Institutes" the Department of Education so bullied the teachers that by the "help, somehow, of the School Act a free discussion on important educational topics was prevented." This kind of rhetoric, reduced to plain, honest prose, comes to this, that the teachers in open meeting, and by a formal vote, refused to be bored to an unlimited extent.

The position of the teachers in British Columbia is an enviable and a happy one, and there is less interference with them here than in any of the provinces of the Dominion, and this the teachers never hesitate to state. But with these facts before it the Times does not scruple to assert that the Education Department is run as a political machine. Of course it is to be admitted that so long as a Government pays for the education of a District, it must, in the interests of the people, see that the money is properly used. There are schools in the province which are self-supporting—on Burdett avenue, Church hill, Pandora street, Esquimalt, Vancouver and Westminster—and with these the Government does not in any way interfere, but it is obvious the Government must look after the payments it makes to public schools.

The Times is not oppressively logical on this part of the subject, for it says, in the same sentence, that education should be divorced from politics and that the power of the superintendent should be curtailed. The Provincial Secretary represents the head of the political machine and he should be divorced from the Education Department, but would not that go towards increasing rather than curtailing the one man power of the superintendent? But when writers are so overwhelmed with strong adjectives, as the writer in Saturday's Times was, it is hardly reasonable on our part to expect him to be strong in logic, or correct in statement.

THE VANCOUVER LOGIC-CHOPPER.

There are some propositions which are self-evident. They are not susceptible of proof. Argument would be wasted in endeavoring to prove that they are true. The man who raises a doubt as to whether three and two make five or that six times one are six is not to be reasoned with. He must be looked upon as utterly devoid of sense or so cantankerous and splenetic that it would be folly to try and convince him. We have not replied to what the News-Advertiser calls its "arguments" because it would be the merest waste of words to attempt to prove that $7,006,030 is more than $1,020,074 It uses a great deal of good ink in endeavoring to convince its readers that there is no great difference between them, and that the city, whose personal property is worth no more than $739,974 and whose income amounts to only $280,100, is nearly, if not quite as rich as the city which owns personal property to the value of $6,386,830 and which is taxed for income on $619,200. Its labored and altogether dishonest attempt to disparage Victoria and to magnify Vancouver is really too contemptible to be noticed. What we wish to direct attention to is what is the undeniable fact now, not what might, could, or would be the fact if the conditions of the two cities were changed. The fact which the News-Advertiser cannot gainsay is that as regards personal property Victoria is nearly nine times as rich as Vancouver, and that the income of this city returned for taxation exceeds that of Vancouver by $839,100. This is what the official returns of the present year show, and this is what we have to deal with. We have nothing to do with the singular hypothesis of our contemporary, its guesses and its surmises. The genius of the Advertiser before next year may pick up Aladdin's wonderful lamp or he may discover the philosopher's stone and be able to make an altogether different showing. We have nothing to do with that. If a miracle is performed in the mainland city's favor before this time next year or this time two years, we will be glad to spread abroad the wonderful news. In the meantime it is our duty to show things as they are in this Year of Grace, 1890. The present time is what we want to write about. The mantle of the prophet has not fallen upon us. We do not pretend to know what the future has in store for either of the cities. What we wish to do is to show that the detractors of Victoria say what is not true, and that the comparisons which they make are unfair and contain very little of what some one has very happily called "the essential element." If Vancouver in the race of progress happened to get ahead of Victoria, even by one poor quarter of a dollar, would not the fact be proclaimed from one end of the continent to the other? Would not the telegraph carry the news across the ocean as soon as the fact was known, and would not a score of organs descant on the wonderful growth of Vancouver? Would anything that could be said in explanation be listened to in Vancouver, would not the Victoria journalist who suggested any qualifying circumstance be treated with scorn? If now, when so very great a discrepancy exists between the two cities, the boomers confidently assert that Vancouver is by far the more important, what would they say if reliable statistics could be produced to prove that she was actually her equal in wealth? The time has come for Victoria to assert herself, to show that the boasters and boomers of Vancouver have systematically misrepresented her to the world, to prove that she is far and away the most important city in British Columbia, and to make it clear that there are good grounds for believing that she will maintain the position she now occupies. It is useless for our contemporary to attempt to deprive the figures we have quoted of their significance. It cannot, let it turn and twist the figures as it may, get rid of the fact that to-day Victoria's taxable personal property and income combined are nearly seven times greater than those of Vancouver. This incontrovertible fact is a bitter pill for it to swallow and it gives the lie to a very great deal that has been said and written in Vancouver, but it is the truth and cannot be ignored.

BRITISH COLUMBIA HONORED

Col. Prior's many friends in Victoria are greatly gratified at his being chosen to command the Wimbledon team this year. The appointment is an honor to Col. Prior and a handsome compliment not only to Victoria, but to the whole of British Columbia. On his part the distinction is well merited. The Col. is an enthusiastic volunteer. He has devoted much of his time and not a little of his means towards organizing the militia in this province, and in keeping up the military spirit among our young men. We have no doubt that Col. Prior will acquit himself in such a way as to maintain the high character which Canadian volunteers have won for themselves in England. Those under his command will find in him a considerate officer, one who knows how to maintain discipline, and at the same time to treat those under his command as comrades.

EDITORIAL COMMENTS.

The Times has become so demoralized that it cannot even quote correctly. Writing about the Attorney's introduction of the bill to lower the opium license fee, we said "His reasons for making the change were purely economic." The Times commenting upon our remarks, describes us as saying that the bill was an "economic measure," and has kept harping on the words "economic measure" ever since, putting them between quotation marks. If we had said that the measure was an economic one we would have described it accurately enough. But we said nothing of the kind. It is very evident that the writer of the article in the Times does not understand the meaning of the word "economic" as applied to reasons, so it invented the word "measure." Our contemporary should be more careful as to the use it makes of quotation marks. It ought to know that to use them in such a way as it has done is a species of forgery.

The Report of the Postmaster-General contains evidence that the business of Victoria is steadily increasing. The revenue of the Postoffice is a good indication of the growth of the city and of the amount of business done in it. The following is the revenue of Victoria Postoffice for the last three years:

1887	$23,756
1888	25,319
1889	28,049

Here we have an increase of a little more than 18 per cent. in three years. This is a very satisfactory showing. The increase of business done in the money order office is worth noticing. In 1888, the number of money orders was 8,499 and the amount of money was $148,337. In 1889 the orders had increased to 9,662 and the cash to $161,054.

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THE WESTSIDE.

Government street, January 18th, 1890.

NOTICES.

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia, at the present session for an act to incorporate a company for the purpose of constructing, maintaining and operating a line of railway, commencing from a point at or near Ashcroft, on the line of the Canadian Pacific Railway; thence in a north and north-westerly direction via the Valley of the Bonaparte River, to a point at or near Barkerville, in the district of Cariboo, British Columbia; together with the usual powers to build, use and own the said railway and land grant in aid thereof, and to acquire lands and other bonuses and aids from the Dominion Government and the Government of the Province of British Columbia, and to make traffic and other arrangements with railway or other companies, and for all other usual and necessary powers, rights and privileges.

DRAKE, JACKSON & CO., Solicitors for the Applicant.
Victoria, Jan. 30, 1890. jy31-6w

NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN APPLICATION will be made to the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia, at its next Session, for an Act to incorporate a Company for the purpose of constructing a Railway from a convenient point at or near Nelson, on the West Arm of Kootenay Lake, by the nearest and most convenient route to the South end of Kootenay Lake.

CHARLES WILSON. Solicitor for the Applicants.
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NOTICE.

Estate of Caroline Corbin, formerly Caroline Jeffree, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Honorable Mr. Justice Walkem has this day granted probate of the will and codicil of the deceased to Mr. James Charles Comyns Kent and Mr. William Fulton Archibald, the executors therein named.

All persons indebted to or having claims against the estate are to make payment or application for payment as the case may be to the executors. And further take notice that the clothing business on Yates street, Victoria, will be continued under the name and style of "W. J. Jeffree."

S. PERRY MILLS, 46 Langley Street, Victoria, Solicitor for Executors.
Dated the 23rd day of Dec, 1889. d24-1m

NOTICE.

IN THE MATTER OF THE Estate of John Montobio.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Is hereby given that the letters of administration granted to me in the above estate have been revoked by the order of the Supreme Court of British Columbia, and that probate of the will has been duly granted to DOMINICO MORELLO, Executor of the will of the said John Montobio.

Dated 17th January, 1890.

JAMES C. PREVOST.
Victoria, B. C., 16th January, 1890. jan17

NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia, at its next session, for an Act granting to "The National Electric Tramway and Lighting Company, Limited Liability," certain rights, powers and privileges for the purpose of enabling the said Company to construct, maintain and operate a single or double street tramway in Victoria, Lake, North and South Saanich, Esquimalt, Highland, Metchosin and Sooke Districts, in connection with the said Company's street railway system in the City of Victoria.

Dated December 18th, A. D. 1889.

A. L. BELYEA, Solicitor for the applicant, "The National Electric Tramway and Lighting Company, Limited Liability." de 24-6w

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT application will be made at the next Session of the Legislative Assembly of British Columbia for an Act to incorporate a Company, to be called "The British Columbia Mills, Timber and Trading Company," for the purpose of acquiring the shares in the capital, and the business, property and privileges, and also of assuming the liabilities of the Royal City Planing Mills Company, Limited, and the Hastings Saw Mill Company, Limited, respectively, and to provide for the said Companies being merged therein and extinguished; and

To operate and carry on the business of the aforesaid Mills;

To acquire by purchase or otherwise, build and operate, equip and maintain, mills, factories and machine shops of any description, steam vessels and other vessels of any description, railways, tramways, canals and ferries, and to dispose of the same, or any interest therein, by sale or otherwise;

To acquire, by purchase or otherwise, and construct roads, dams, bridges, aqueducts, flumes, etc., and to dispose of the same, or any interest therein, by sale or otherwise;

To acquire, by purchase or otherwise, leases of timber and other lands and timber privileges, and to dispose of the same, or any interest therein, by sale or otherwise;

To acquire, by purchase or otherwise, and hold lands, and dispose of the same, or any interest therein, by sale or otherwise;

To acquire, by purchase or otherwise, gold, silver and other ores and minerals, logs, timber, lumber and merchandise of any description, bills of lading, bills of exchange, promissory notes, and securities for money, and to dispose of the same;

To exercise and carry on the business of mill-owners (saw, grist or other mills), timber and lumber merchants, manufacturers, wharfingers, and carriers, and to conduct and carry on a shipping, towing and general trading business;

To undertake agencies and conduct financial business of any kind other than that of banking or insurance;

To perform all such acts, matters and things as the Company may deem incidental or otherwise conducive to the attainment of any of the above objects, or to the conversion or disposition of any security or property held by the Company.

DRAKE, JACKSON & HELMCKEN, Solicitors for the Applicants.
Dated 4th December, 1889.
Victoria, B. C. dec5

NOTICE.

DURING MY ABSENCE FROM THE Province, Mr. Alfred Magnusen holds my power of Attorney.

Victoria, B. C., 7th Jan., 1890.
jan8-1mo THOMAS EARLE.

NOTICE.

DURING MY TEMPORARY ABSENCE from the Province, Mr. H. E. Crossdaile holds my power of attorney, and will attend to the Canada Life Assurance and other business.

my9-1yr A. W. JONES.

NOTICE.

THERE will not be any change in the affairs of the firm of T. N. Hibben & Co. The business will be carried on by Mrs. J. P. Hibben, Executrix of the late T. N. Hibben and the surviving partners, Mrs. J. P. Hibben will be represented by James Parker Hibben, the eldest son,

T. N. HIBBEN & CO.
Victoria, Jan. 30, 1890. fy1-6t

NOTICE is hereby given that the partnership existing between the undersigned, Edward Adams and Charles Beaumont, under the firm of Adams & Beaumont, at Duncan, E. & N. R. R., will be dissolved on February 28th, 1890.

All accounts due the firm must be paid and all claims sent in on or before that date.

(Signed) EDWARD ADAMS, CHARLES BEAUMONT.
Dated 1st February, 1890. feb2

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia, at its present session, for an act to incorporate a company, to be called the "Canadian Pacific Fire Insurance Company, Limited," for the purpose of carrying on a general fire insurance business within the province of British Columbia.

Dated at Victoria, the 28th day of January, A. D. 1890.

CHARLES WILSON, Solicitor for Applicants.
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INFORMATION WANTED FROM THE CORPORATION.

To THE EDITOR: Considering the importance of good municipal government, the large increase of taxation last year and the rapid increase of the debt of this city, it is surprising that the press of Victoria has remained silent, and has refrained from healthy criticism of the manner in which municipal monies have been expended and of the condition of this city's finances.

Speaking from my own experience I know for a fact that upon the saleable value of property taxation in Victoria is double that in Vancouver, and my opinion is that in Vancouver the city revenue is more judiciously and economically expended than in Victoria. That there they have more to show for their past two or three years taxation than we have here.

Mayor Grant informed us in his address which you published yesterday that the Corporation expenditure of last year was nearly double that of any previous year, and "considerably over one-half of the expenditure made by the Provincial Government" during the same period. He also stated that the Corporation expenditure for 1889 was over $450,000, and that although the revenue was much greater through a large increase of taxation on property, the debt of this city was increased $215,000.

When scarcely a week passes but the newspapers contain columns of editorial comments and criticisms about provincial expenditure and often on very insignificant items, does it not strike you that they are wanting in their duty to our citizens when they neglect to call attention and fail to inform the people concerning the proper or improper expenditure of city monies, approaching half a million dollars annually, which specially concerns them, as now, and for many years to come, it is out of their pockets that the money in payment will be taken.

The new city councillors, who are very much the same as last year, have commenced their term of office by acknowledging that this year's revenue, large as it is estimated, nearly a quarter of a million dollars, will not anything like cover the expenditure they consider necessary.

With such a startling announcement it is surely time for enquiring into the condition of the city's finances, to see whether there is anything wrong about them so that, if possible, steps can be taken to make both ends meet. There are, I admit, purposes, such for instance, as water works, for which money can be prudently borrowed and the repayment spread over a long term of years, because for the time during which the debt exists there is a profitable asset to show for it, but there are other loans which have no such justification, such, for instance, as for wooden sidewalks and for fire engines, which are worn out in ten or fifteen years. To borrow money, payable in instalments spread over 50 years, for things which will not have any value in ten or fifteen years is a reckless piece of business which, if persisted in, will seriously injure the growth and property of this city in the near future.

The new council has only been in office about one month and already they ask the ratepayers to increase the city's debt $100,000. This is apparently only the "first time of asking," for the Mayor makes it quite evident in his own report that other and larger loans will soon be called for.

So that citizens may understand what is to follow, I ask the Mayor and aldermen to inform us through the press what loans are contemplated this year beyond the $100,000 above mentioned.

The Mayor states that the net debt of the city already slightly exceeds half a million dollars. There are other large liabilities not included in this amount. I refer to assistance to the Saanich Railway, Electric Tramway, etc., etc. A memorandum of these I also ask Mayor Grant to publish, so that we may know before voting on the loan by-laws what this city's total obligations are.

There are several highly objectionable features connected with the expenditure of the corporation funds during 1889, which Mayor Grant ignores altogether in his report. To these I will refer in another letter.

There is, I assure you, great room for improvement in the management of the revenues of this city.

Yours, respectfully,
A VICTORIAN.

AN INTERESTING BOOK.

Pawnee Hero stories and Folk tales, with notes on the Origin, Customs and character of the Pawnee people, by George Bird Grinnell. Forest and Stream Publishing Company, New York.

The folk-lore of all peoples is an interesting and an instructive study. The stories that the mother tells her child, and the tales that are related at the fireside, and at social gatherings by people who have no knowledge of literature, give a better insight into their character, their religious beliefs, their habits, their modes of thought, their tastes, their standards of excellence, and their history, than pretentious historical works that have the name of celebrated men on their title pages. These stories and traditions reveal the inner life of the people and show the observant listener what they really are. This is what works of history so-called seldom do. Mr. Grinnell, in the book before us, simply by telling the stories that he heard from the mouths of Pawnee warriors as nearly as possible in the style of the narrators, gives the intelligent reader a better idea of what these Indians really were and are, than if he had lived in their neighborhood and met them every day without understanding their language and gaining their confidence. In his intercourse with white men the Indian wears a mask which is, to nearly all of them, impenetrable. But when, in his own language, free from all restraint, he relates the stories that have been handed down to him by his ancestors, and speaks of the adventures of himself and his fellow braves when on the war path, the mask falls off and the true nature of the Indian is revealed.

Mr. Grinnell evidently enjoyed most favorable opportunities of obtaining a true knowledge of the Indian character, and he shows that he has had the ability to make the most of them. He permits the Pawnee to speak for himself, to tell his own story in his own way. He has not attempted to dress up the narratives to suit the taste of cultured readers. We suspect that he has suppressed passages here and there which would not look well in print, but in the main, he has adhered to the style of the Pawnee narrators. The stories are, as the title indicates, about war and hunting, and now and then we see a trace of romance, but we gather from what we read that the Pawnee is not romantic as a rule. The stories, however, which show what the superstitions of these untutored people are, and what is their religious belief, are to us most interesting. The Dun Horse, The Story of Faith, The Bear man, the Ghost wife, Ti-ke-wa-kush, Pa-hu-ka-towa, The boy who was sacrificed, The Snake Brother, The Ghost Bride, and The Boy who saw A-ti-us, are all genuine folk-tales, such as every primitive people delight in. The element of the supernatural is very prominent in them. They consequently show in a clear and striking manner what the Pawnees, and no doubt other Indian tribes, think about the unseen powers that shape mens' destinies.

Mr. Grinnell's book is exceedingly interesting, but it is something more than an amusing book to be read to while away an idle hour. It contains information respecting the red-man which the historian of the future will consider most valuable. The task which the author imposed on himself was a difficult one, but be has performed it admirably. He has done for the Indian character what the photographer has done for his outward man; he has reproduced it minutely as well as faithfully.

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WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C. M. C.
City Hall, Jan. 30th, 1890. jy31

MUNICIPAL.

FROM and after this date all accounts against the corporation must be made out on vouchers (to be obtained at the City Hall) and said vouchers must be certified to by the heads of the different departments before being left at my office for payment, unless they are accompanied by the printed orders which are invariably given for goods.
CHARLES KENT, Treasurer.
Victoria, Feb. 6th, 1890. fy6-1m

MUNICIPAL.

NOTICE is hereby given that from and after this date whenever any fire alarm is rung, the fire department shall have free and unobstructed right of way through all the streets of the city, and that the city authorities will not hold themselves responsible for any damages caused by any collision that may occur through non-observance of the above regulation, or otherwise, at such times. By order,
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City Hall, January 30, 1890. jy31

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A.M	P.M	P.M.		P.M	P.M	P.M.
De 8.40	De 2.30		VICTORIA	Ar 1.24	Ar 5.58	
" 8.44	" 2.34		RUSSELL'S, Vic. W	" 1.20	" 5.54	
" 8.54	" 2.44		ESQUIMALT	" 1.10	" 5.44	
" 9.21	" 3.09		GOLDSTREAM	" 12.43	" 5.19	
" 10.16	" 4.0?		SHAWNIGAN L'E	" 11.48 A.M	" 4.21	
" 10.28	" 4.14		COBBLE HILL	" 11.36	" 4.14	
" 10.45	" 4.29		McPHERSON'S	" 11.19	" 3.59	
" 10.57	" 4.39		KOKSILAH	" 11.07	" 3.49	
" 11.02	" 4.44		DUNCAN'S	" 11.02	" 3.44	
" 11.12	" 4.54		SOMENOS	" 10.52	" 3.34	
" 11.38	" 5.16		CHEMAINUS	" 10.26	" 3.12	
Ar 12.40 P.M	" 6.14		NANAIMO	De 9.24	" 2.14	Ar 7.15
De 12.49		De 10.00	NANAIMO	Ar 9.15		
Ar 1.04	Ar 6.29	Ar. 10.15	WELLINGTON	De 9.00	De 1.59	De 7.00

On Saturdays and Sundays

Return Tickets will be issued between all points for a single fare, good for return Monday.

Return Tickets for one and a half ordinary fare may be purchased daily to all points, good for three days, including day of issue.

No Return Tickets issued for a Single Fare, where such fare is twenty-five cents. Through rates between Victoria & Comox.

A. DUNSMUIR, President.
JOSEPH HUNTER, Gen'l Supt.
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A BY-LAW

Respecting the EXPENDITURE of the MUNICIPAL REVENUE for the year 1890.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE COUNCIL of the Corporation of the City of Victoria, as follows:

1. It shall be lawful for the Finance Committee of the said Council to arrange for and obtain a credit, by way of overdraft upon current account with the Bank of British North America, to an amount not exceeding in the whole the sum of $50,000, including the now existing overdraft, at a rate of interest not exceeding six per cent. per annum.

2. All monies so overdrawn shall be used for the ordinary current expenditure of the said Corporation, and shall be repaid to the said Bank on or before the 31st day of December, 1890, out of the Municipal revenue of the said Corporation for the current year.

3. This By-Law may be cited as the "Bank Credit By-Law, 1890."

Passed the Municipal Council the 29th day of January, A. D. 1890.

Re-considered and finally passed the Council this 5th day of February, A. D. 1890.

[L. S.] JOHN GRANT, Mayor.
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C. M. C.
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Manufacturer of
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DESPATCH A STEAMER EVERY five days for San Francisco, carrying Her Majesty's mails, from Outer Wharf at 11 a. m

Queen of the Pacific, Feb. 13th
R. P. RITHET & CO., Agents.
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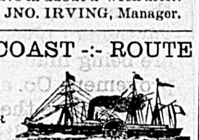
NOTICE.
C. P. N. CO.'S
STEAMER MAUDE

Will Leave
—FOR—
SKIDEGATE
and all Way Ports.
Wednesday, February 12th
Carrying passengers at Reduced Rates.

Apply at office of the Company. Another steamer will leave in about a week after.
fy6-td JNO. IRVING, Manager.

EAST -:- COAST -:- ROUTE

THE STEAMER



"RAINBOW"

Will resume her regular route for NANAIMO, calling at all way ports on Tuesday next, February 11th, and thereafter every Tuesday morning at 7 o'clock.
For particulars apply to
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For NEW WESTMINSTER

THE STEAMER

"RAINBOW"

Will resume her regular trips to NEW WESTMINSTER on Sunday February 9th, and thereafter every Thursday and Sunday mornings at 7 o'clock.
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ESQUIMALT & NANAIMO RAILWAY

Steamer
ISABEL
J. E. BUTLER, Master.

On and after November 19, 1889,
UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE,
The Steamer ISABEL will sail as follows,
CALLING AT WAY PORTS:
Lv Victoria for Nanaimo, Tuesdays, 7.00 a.m
" Nanaimo " Comox, Wed'days, 7.00 "
" Comox " Nanaimo, Fridays, 7.00 "
" Nanaimo " Victoria, Saturdays, 7.00 "
For freight or passage apply on board. feb

CANADIAN PACIFIC
NAVIGATION
COMPANY, (Limited)

Time Table No. 12, takes effect January 1, 1890.

Vancouver Route:
Victoria to Vancouver—Daily, except Monday, at 3 o'clock, a. m.
Vancouver to Victoria—Daily, except Monday, at 14:30 o'clock or on arrival of C. P. R. No. 1 train.

New Westminster Route:
LEAVE VICTORIA for New Westminster, Ladner's Land'g and Lulu Island—Sunday at 23 o'clock. Wednesdays and Fridays at 7 o'clock. (Sunday's steamer to New Westminster connects with C. P. R train No. 2, going east Monday.)
For Plumper Pass—Wednesdays and Fridays, at 7 o'clock.
For Moresby Island—Friday at 7 o'clock.
LEAVE NEW WESTMINSTER for Victoria—Monday at 14:30 o'clock; Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.
For Plumper Pass—Saturday at 7 o'clock

Fraser River Route:
Steamers leave New Westminster for CHILLIWHACK and Way Landings every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.

Northern Route:
Steamship SARDONYX will leave for Fort Simpson and intermediate ports on the FIRST and FIFTEENTH of each month. When sufficient inducements offer will extend trips to West Coast points and Queen Charlotte Islands.

Barclay Sound Route:
Steamer MAUDE leaves Victoria for Alberni and Sound Ports when sufficient inducements offer.
The Company reserves the right of changing this Time Table at any time without notification. Steamers leave by Standard time.
JOHN IRVING, Manager.
G. A. CARLETON, General Agent. jy25

HOTELS AND RESTAURANT.

Clarence Hotel

After the 1st of October, and during the Winter months, Boarders will be received at the Clarence Hotel on very reasonable terms. For rates either for Board, or Room and Board, please apply to
W. C. ANDERSON, Proprietor.
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Music furnished for Balls, Parties, Weddings, Entertainments, etc.
Apply to the Headquarters, at the London Harmony,
W. J. PHILLIPS,
oc29-6m Cor. Johnson and Broad sts.

NOTICE.

MR. H. B. W. AIKMAN, BARRISTER-at-Law, was, on the first day of January instant, admitted a partner in the firm of DRAKE, JACKSON & HELMCKEN, which will be continued under the name of
DRAKE, JACKSON & HELMCKEN.
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MISCELLANEOUS.

Canada Western Hotel Company.
[LIMITED LIABILITY.]

CITY OF VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA.

NOTICE is hereby given that at a meeting of the Trustees of said Company, held on the 29th day of January, A. D., 1890, an assessment of $1.00 per share was levied upon the subscribed capital stock of the said Company, payable on the 6th day of March next to Mr. L. E. Erb, the Treasurer, at the Company's office, No. 80 Government street, in the said City of Victoria. Any stock upon which said assessment shall remain unpaid on the 8th day of March shall be deemed delinquent, and will be duly advertised for sale at public auction, and unless payment shall be made before will be sold on the 25th day of March next to pay the delinquent assessment, together with the costs of advertising and expenses of the sale.

E. M. JOHNSON,
Sect'y Canada Western Hotel Co., Limited Liability,
No. 80 Government street, Victoria, B. C.
Post office addres—P. O. box 188. feb4

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the "Confederation Life Association" will make application to the Parliament of Canada at the next session thereof for an Act authorizing the said Association at any general meeting thereof, and from time to time, to vary the number of the Directors of their General Board and to reduce the same to not less than ten, and also to increase the power of the said Association to invest the funds of the Association in real estate and ground rents, and in renewable leaseholds of real estate in the Province of Ontario by purchase, mortgage or otherwise, and to remove the limitation, in so far as the said Province is concerned, now imposed by the second section of the Act to incorporate said Association, known as 34 Victoria, Chapter 54; and for other purposes.

JAMES BEATY,
Solicitor for the "Confederation Life Association."
Toronto, 3rd December, 1889. d12-2m

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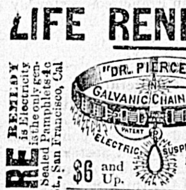

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Send for Illustrations of the Society's Twenty Year Tontine policies showing at maturity cash surrender values equal to a return of all premiums paid with compound interest of from 3 to 5 per cent. per annum, added.

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GENERAL AGENT FOR BRITISH COLUMBIA,
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Ladies' Waukenfausts in several styles and widths. These are exceptionally fine Winter Goods. Inspect for yourselves,
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The only FIRST-CLASS HOTEL AND RESTAURANT IN VICTORIA, B. C.
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A CARD.

HAVING assumed entire control of the business heretofore existing under the title of Hampson & Terry, I wish, on behalf of the old firm, to thank all those who favored us with a share of their patronage, and solicit a continuance of the same for the new firm.

Assuring all who call that the utmost will be done to give satisfaction.
feb4 C. L. TERRY.

TO WEAK MEN
Suffering from the effects of errors, early decay, wasting weakness, etc., I will send a valuable treatise (sealed) containing full particulars for home cure, FREE of charge. A splendid medical work; should be read by every man who is nervous and debilitated. Address, Prof. F. C. FOWLER, Moodus, Conn. nov9-d&w

NOTICE.

Estate of William Heathorn, Deceased.

ALL persons indebted to the estate are hereby requested to pay the amount thereof forthwith, and all persons having any claim against the estate are hereby requested to send in full particulars of same forthwith to
M. C. HEATHORN,
Sole Executrix, P. O. box 46.
jy28-1m Dated this 27th day January, A. D. 1890.

DISSOLUTION.

THE firm of Croghan & Jones, of 94 Douglas street, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. John T. Jones retires, and A. Croghan will carry on the business in his own name and collect and pay all outstanding debts.
JOHN T. JONES.
ARTHUR CROGHAN.
Witness—HENRY HEARNS.
Victoria, Feb. 4, 1890. f5-1w

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between William Spencer Hampson and Chester Lee Terry, carrying on the business of general dry goods retailers on the corner of Yates and Broad streets, under the title of Hampson & Terry, is hereby dissolved by mutual agreement. Chester Lee Terry assumes the stock and will continue the business as usual and discharge all the liabilities of the late firm.
(Sgd) WM. SPENCER HAMPSON,
CHESTER LEE TERRY.
Witness—HENRY JOHN HOLMANS.
Victoria, January 30, 1890. feb4

YOUR MONEY'S WORTH.
A 25 cent Meal!
OF THE BEST—AT THE
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—AT—

Anacortes, Ship Harbour

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Half Cash and Half Six Months.
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ANACORTES

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The Rapidly Growing City at the head of the Straits.

During the past week over one-half of the lots offered for sale by the undersigned have been disposed of. A visit to Anacortes demonstrates the fact that never in the history of the Sound cities has there been such rapid progress made in building and other improvement as at the new city on Ship Harbour. The fact that it is almost certain to become the terminus of a transcontinental line which will have the advantage of position over all other cities on the Sound is fully recognized by investors, and numerous transfers of property at advancing prices are being made every day. The country tributary to Ship Harbour is rich in Agricultural lands, timber, coal and iron, and the Oregon Improvement Co. are opening up the Cumberland mines, and hope to ship coal from the Anacortes wharves in the course of a few months. Investors have the history of Tacoma and Seattle to guide them in making purchases in Anacortes. These two cities have returned millions of dollars in profits to real estate owners. There is every prospect that the experience of Tacoma and Seattle will be repeated at Anacortes. Therefore, buy now while property can be had at ground-floor figures and you will realize a handsome profit.

Apply to H. E. CROASDAILE, 42 Fort Street.

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PROPERTY.

Land for Sale by the Lot or Acre.

42 Fort Street.

The Colonist.

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 11, 1890.

PASSENGERS.

Per Str NORTH PACIFIC from the Sound—A A Campbell, H Thompson, A M Orebaugh, J Rockbaldor, Mrs Ralff, J D Carsden, H A Porter, W J Graves, A Ritrsoity P Carey, M Clark, M Jenkins, A A Routledge and wife, C Bates, P Teuton and wife, D Teuton and wife, A J Hewitt, J W Barr, A Ground, C Frankenthat, S J Pitts H F Keene and wife, Thos Kent and wife, J G Morton, Miss Knott, G W Hillyer Chas Kneedham, J W Fairbonks, Capt W E George, J H Sutloff, Mrs Keith, E A Hickman, J Manson, J Scouse, E A Higgins, Chas Hunt, S Smith, S O'Brien.

CONSIGNEES.

Per Str NORTH PACIFIC, from the Sound—Natl E L T Co, P McQuade, E G Prior, Lenz & L, E. Higgins.

MARRIED.

CREIGHTON-CHRISTIE.—At No. 2 Blanchard street, Victoria, on Monday evening, Feb. 10th, by the father of the bride, assisted by the Rev. Dr. Reid, Victoria, J. W. Creighton, of Hayton Castle, Nottinghamshire, Eng., to Maggie N., eldest daughter of the Rev. James Christie, Wellington. No cards.

WANTED,

2,000 lots of ladies' and gents' new and cast-off clothing, by April 25th, N. POINTER, No. 85 Johnson street, cor. of Broad.

Fur Capes, Dolmans and Visites.

A quantity of the above at clearing out prices at the CITY HOUSE.

Forget your name, but don't forget the bargains at Partridge's Lansdowne House, Yates street.

The sun goes down in the west and prices go down at Partridge's Lansdowne House, Yates street.

New Novels.

"Joshua," by Geo. Ebers..... 30c
"Luck in Disguise"..... 30c
"Blind Love," Wilkie Collins..... 30c
"A Dead Heart," Chas. Gibbon..... 30c
For sale by T. N. HIBBEN & CO.

A Strong Following.

MANY diseases result from neglected constipation, such as sick headache, bad blood, foul humors, heartburn, dizziness and general ill health. From one to three bottles of Burdock Blood Bitters is guaranteed to cure constipation and all diseases caused by irregularity of the bowels.

Buy Fernwood lots now before the rise in prices. Easy terms. Enquire of agents.

Shannon files, binding cases, blank books, Lett's diaries and many other office requisites for sale by. T. N. HIBBEN & CO.

CLEARANCE SALE.

We will offer for sixty days:

$45.00 Suits for.....$33.00
$40.00 " " $33.00
$30.00 " " $22.00
$15.00 Pants " $12.00
$12.00 " " .....$ 8.00
$10.00 " " .....$ 6.00
$ 9.00 " " .....$ 5.00

H. A. POTTS & CO.
Opposite Clarence Hotel, Douglas street.

T. N. Hibben & Co., are agents for the Caligraph. Remember we sell them on the instalment plan, or otherwise.

Plad back steamboat cards just received by T. N. HIBBEN & CO.

In Many Forms.

DYSPEPSIA assumes many phases, all disagreeable to the sufferer, yet it takes no form which from two to four bottles of Burdock Blood Bitters will not cure. B.B.B. cures dyspepsia, tones the weak stomach, aids digestion, sharpens the appetite and renovates the entire system.

Have you seen the 12½ cent dress stuff at Partridge's Lansdowne's House, Yates street.

New Seattle,

Look out for the sale of Lots to-day in the New Town of Seattle, B. C., on the Fraser River, at the Mission Bridge. Prices will be advanced within thirty days.

One set of Bancroft's history of the Pacific Coast at one-half the published price. T. N. HIBBEN & CO.

Beautiful effects in "Lignomur" and artistic paper hangings at John Weiler's, also largest stock of furniture, etc., in the province.

Decreasing the Death Rate.

The mortality among Consumptives has been materially decreased of late years by the use of *Scott's Emulsion of Cod Liver Oil* with Hypophosphites of Lime and Soda. Phthisis, Bronchitis, Abscess of the Lungs, Pneumonia and Throat Affections are completely subjugated by a timely use of this excellent pulmonic. Palatable as milk. Sold by all Druggists at 50c. and $1.00.

Overdue.

Up till an early hour this morning nothing had been heard at San Francisco of H. M. S. Swiftsure from Esquimalt and the collier Costa Rica from Departure Bay, both of which are several days overdue at the Bay City.

All Were Drunk.

Three young men, all drunk and all from their appearance sailors, engaged in a rough-and-tumble fight at the corner of Yates and Blanchard streets last evening. In the melee one of the fighters drew a knife and would no doubt have used it had he not been knocked down and dispossessed of his weapon.

When Baby was sick,
We gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child,
She cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss,
She clung to Castoria.
When she had Children,
She gave them Castoria.

JOHN DOHERTY, GENERAL SCAVENGER

Yards, etc., cleaned. Orders left at Mr. G. Doughty, cor. Blanchard and Fort sts, Bossi & Giesselman, Yates st, or J. Finlayson's, Government st, will be promptly attended o.o *ap23-1y

LOCAL AND PROVINCIAL.

Struck It Rich.

A letter received from Barkerville by the last mail states that the Baldhead Co. on Williams Creek have struck gold, with the prospect of taking out a considerable amount.

Incoming Passengers.

The following passengers for Victoria are on board the Walla Walla which sailed from San Francisco yesterday: D. S. McLeod, T. V. Sinclair, J. Savannah, T. F. Sullivan, J. Wright, C. Wright, Mrs. Borey.

Old Collateral.

While in the east Mr. P. Steele, of Bastion street, purchased a paper fifty-cent piece issued by the continental government of the United States in 1776. The paper looks decidedly ancient and has the names of the thirteen states then in the Union, printed on it. Mr. Steele has also a $7 bill issued at the same time.

Sale of Mining Property.

The four mines at Field, which were part of the assets of the defunct British Columbia Smelting Company, were sold at public auction on Thursday last by Sheriff Redgrave, and were bought in by the Vancouver Syndicate for about $7,500. These mines and property in connection therewith cost the old company in the neighborhood of $80,000.

City Police Court.

Dan. Apples and Jennie Chickens two of the many regular visitors to the city lockup were sent up for one month each. Two other drunks paid their fines of $5 each and were liberated.

F. Conley charged with forgery was committed for trial.

Ah Sing charged with assault was remanded until next Monday.

A Fever Breeder.

A few days ago in THE COLONIST reference was made to a terrible smell arising from a swamp on Discovery and Government streets. Although the deposit of rubbish has been stopped the smell has not abated in the least, and some steps should be taken by the city council to stop it. Yesterday the smell was so strong that it broke the telephone wires in the locality.

The "Danube" Safe.

The C. P. R. steamer Danube, which was in a dangerous position at Portland, has moved below the bridge, the swing having been opened for first time on Sunday. Mr. Fullerton, who arrived over last night, had a telegram yesterday morning stating that the Danube would leave Portland this morning for Vancouver. It is only owing to the excellent management of Capt. Hill that the vessel was not lost.

1847 Genuine Rogers Bros'. Knives, Old English pattern at Davidson Bros., Jewellers, Yates Street.

The Sealers.

The Juanita, Hall & Goepel owners, and the Favorite, belonging to Capt. C. Spring, will leave on Wednesday.

The Henry L. Dennis, of Port Townsend, left yesterday for the hunting grounds.

The Bessie Reuter, Capt. Olsen, left yesterday. Before leaving the wharf the crew had been treated too often by their friends, and when they were ordered to raise the flag they managed to hoist it, but, unfortunately, upside down.

The Annie C. Moore returned to port yesterday, Mate Hackett having been taken very sick. The captain reports very boisterous weather outside.

Repairs to the Triumph are progressing favorably.

Looking Serious.

Instead of becoming better on Sunday, as was expected, the Japanese sailor who was struck with a belaying pine by the mate of the sealer Penelope, became worse. At one time it was announced that his condition was very critical, and that his chances of recovery were rapidly slipping away. Yesterday afternoon the deposition of the unfortunate man was taken by Mr. Robert Ward, J. P., and a warrant was issued for the mate's arrest. It was placed in the hands of the provincial police, who took up the case as soon as the facts as first told in THE COLONIST Sunday morning were brought before them, and at about 9 o'clock last evening he was arrested by Sergt. Langley and Officer Miller just as he was preparing to go on board the schooner. The charge of assault with intent to murder will be heard in the provincial court this morning.

The most reliable makers of Flatware in the world are Rogers Bros. Davidson Bros., Yates Street, have their goods for sale.

Street Paving.

The firm of Coit, Barton & Cowles has for many months supplied Victoria with the greater part of the water pipes required in completing and perfecting the distribution service. One member of the firm, Mr. Barton, is now in Victoria in the interest of another important industry. His intention is to organize a local company for the purpose of paving the city streets, if the council decides that the time has arrived to undertake this important improvement. The material suggested for pavement is asphalt, obtained in unlimited supply from the celebrated mines in Ventura County, Cal., which turn out the best quality of asphalt for street use known. While acknowledging that it would be well for Victoria to wait for sewers before paving her streets, Mr. Barton is willing to pave a block or a portion of any street named, free of charge, to enable the city to appreciate the beauty and utility of asphalt pavement.

REMOVED.

Messrs. A. Gregg & Sons, Artist Tailors, Remove From

Their Former Stand at 42 Yates to Quarters More Centrally Located in the Belmont Block.

To-day Messrs. A. Gregg & Son, Artist Tailors, removed from their old stand to 62 Yates street, above the Pritchard House. Messrs. A. Gregg & Son will continue as in the past, to turn out garments which are unexcelled in fit, style and artistic excellence, and thus sustain the very enviable reputation they have so long enjoyed.

Pythian Ball.

Tickets for the Knights of Pythias Ball, to be held at Assembly Hall on February 18th, can be obtained from the committee, all members of the Order. Mons. Escalet, will serve the supper on the occasion.

C. E. T. S.

The concert given by the C. E. T. S. in the Sunday school room of Christ church cathedral last evening was not as well attended as it should have been, although the programme, as may be seen by the list of those that took part, was quite up to the mark:

PROGRAMME—PART I.

Piano.....Mrs. Seton
Song.....Mr. Ross Munro
Duet.....Rev. A and Mrs. Beanlands
Reading.....Miss Caton
Song.....Mr. Roberts
Song.....Mrs. Beanlands
Song (comic).....Mr. Leigh

PART II.

Piano.....Miss Fox
Song.....Rev. H. Kingham
Reading.....Mr. Busk
Song.....Miss Twiss
Guitar.....Mr. W. B. Agnew

1847 Genuine Rogers Bros'. Forks, Old English pattern, at Davidson Bros., Jewellers, Yates Street.

Marine Engineers' Association.

A representative meeting of marine engineers was held at Mr. T. B. Norgate's office last evening, and the constitution and by-laws of the British Columbia Marine Engineers' Association were adopted and order to be printed.

The association aims at a mutual improvement of members and the betterment of engineers as a class, and while in no way a trades union, will no doubt be of vast benefit to its members and the owners of steamers, as all members, will strive to uphold the order, whose principal maxim will be "advancement and improvement." There is no doubt but that every marine engineer in the province will join, as the advantages are obvious at a glance at the constitution. The officers of the association for the ensuing year are as follows: President, William Sommerville; Vice-President, James McArthur; Treasurer, J. A. Thompson, and Secretary, W. P. Lindley.

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In "Kerry Gow."

For Thursday and Friday evenings of this week a comedy treat has been arranged in the shape of the great Irish actor and singer, John S. Murphy, in the best of all Irish plays, 'Kerry Gow." The following is a sample press clipping in regard to this popular actor and his play: "John S. Murphy, who is an old favorite, had a big house last night. It was his first appearance here in two years, but his former audience had not forgotten him during his absence and the greeting given him must have made him feel that he had numerous warm friends in St. Louis. The play was "Kerry Gow" with Mr. Murphy as Dan O'Hara, a jovial, good natured, quick-witted and intrepid Irish lad, who gets into and out of a great deal of trouble and is finally rewarded at the close of the play with the hand and heart of the girl he loves. It is needless to say that Mr. Murphy played the part admirably and had the audience either laughing or applauding the whole time. He sang, "Believe me when all these endearing young charms" and "Aileen Aroon" sweetly and then gave a comic song effectively for an encore. He was well supported by his company and the play was put on with new and beautiful scenery."—St. Louis Post Dispatch, Dec. 5, 1884.

Opera Costs Money.

Among the recent arrivals in Victoria is Mr. J. Chas. Davis, who comes to complete the preliminary arrangements for the engagement of the Emma Juch Grand Opera Company, at The Victoria next week. He expressed himself as well pleased with the reception the company had met with elsewhere and in conversation said:—

"The expenses of an organization of this kind are almost beyond belief, and it is of the utmost importance to keep the performances up to a standard that will insure large attendance as an almost unvarying rule. The Juch Opera Company involves the expenditure of $10,000 per week. It will readily be realized that the responsibility which rests on the management is something serious,"

"Naturally a large proportion of this amount goes for salaries?"

"Of course, but take into consideration the artists employed. Miss Juch is the recognized leading prima donna of America to-day. Mr. Hedmont, our leading tenor, possesses a beautiful voice, and has great dramatic power. Miss Macnicol, another daughter of New York, is our leading contralto, and we consider her the best in America to-day. She undoubtedly fills the position left vacant by the retirement of Annie Louise Cary. With regard to Mr. Stoddard, our baritone, Mr. Votter, our admiral basso, and Messrs. Knight and Pieri, respectively buffo and tenor-buffo, good work is always assured. Our orchestra will be under the conductorship of Mr. Seigfried Behrens, a prominent conductor of New York, who will have forty carefully selected musicians under his baton."

Ladies French Kid

Button gaiters $3 and $4 per pair. Every pair bears the maker's name; 32 different styles, at Russell, McDonald & Co.'s, opposite the Iron church, Douglas street.

Practical Talk.

The fourth "practical talk" in the course being given at the Young Men's Christian Association will be given tonight by Rev. P. McF. Macleod on "Personal Purity." There will be also a gymnastic exhibition and a piano solo by Mr. Holman. All men are cordially invited.

An Odorous Court Room.

During the progress of the Chinese case in the police court yesterday morning His Honor had to order the court cleared of Chinese on account of the odorous atmosphere that was caused by their presence. The clearing of the room did not allay the smell however and His Honor adjourned the court for a few minutes to fumigate it.

Fire at Seattle.

On Saturday evening three tents used as stores, with their stocks of goods, were destroyed by fire at Seattle. The loss is estimated at $42,000, about half covered by insurance. The explosion of a lamp was the cause of the fire, and the flames spread so quickly that the three canvas structures were beyond saving when the firemen arrived.

Erminii in Rehearsale.

From the large and representative attendance of musical people at the Sir Wm. Wallace Society's hall last evening, the success of Erminie, which those present had met to rehearse, seems assured. The choruses were run over several times smoothly, and a week's adjournment taken. At the next rehearsal the parts will be assigned.

Matrimonial.

At No. 2 Blanchard street last evening a select party gathered at the invitation of Rev. James and Mrs. Christie to witness the marriage of their eldest daughter, Maggie N., to Mr. J. W. Creighton, of Hayton Castle, Nottinghamshire, Eng. The ceremony was performed at 9 o'clock by the father of the bride, assisted by the Rev. Dr. Reid; the bride, who wore a handsome traveling costume of slate, being supported by her three sisters, Annie, Isabelle, and Carrie. Mr. Wm. Christie, brother of the bride and one of the best known telegraph men on the coast, discharged gracefully the duties of best man. After the marriage had been completed, the wedding party enjoyed an appetizing supper, followed by an hour or more of social conversation, and then the newly-wedded pair embarked on board the Islander for New Westminster, where Mr. Creighton intends entering in the coal business in the interest of the Vancouver Coal Co.

ST. ANDREW'S CATHEDRAL.

Profile and Working Plans Received and Tenders Soon to be Invited.

Complete profile and working plans, fourteen in number, for the new St. Andrew's Cathedral have been received from Messrs. Perrault & Messiard, architects, of Montreal. As soon as certain details of lighting and heating are decided upon the specifications will be amended where necessary, tenders will be called for and the work of construction will be proceeded with at once.

The plans for the new edifice show that it will be pure Gothic in style, the Gothic of the Fourteenth and Fifteenth centuries. The front elevation on Blanchard street occupies a frontage of 72 feet, and contains the main entrance by three central and two tower doors. There is one large circular memorial window in front, and a small tower on the inside corner. At the street corner, of Blanchard and View streets, is placed the main tower, terminating in a graceful spire 175 feet in height, containing a tower clock and a place for a large chime of bells, which may be hung at any time. At the pinnacle of the roof, directly over the main entrance, will be placed a statue of St. Andrew.

A strong peculiarity of the side elevation is the irregularities of its lines. The width of the church is made to vary in its different sections, being 72 feet at the front, widening to 84 feet in the transept, and again narrowing at the sanctuary. By this means an uninterrupted view of the altars can be obtained from every part of the sacred edifice. The side walls of the church are to be double, the outside wall with single narrow cathedral windows, and the inner resting upon rows of massive pillars. Numerous fine memorial windows are provided for, and several will be inserted during the building of the church.

The sanctuary will be most elaborate in all its appointments; the main and side altars, plans for which are included in those received, being also entirely new. A convenient vestry is attached to the church, and communicates with the bishop's palace. Two galleries are provided at the front—the lower and larger one for the use of the sisters and pupils, the upper for the choir.

A massive vaulted ceiling, numberless beautiful incidents of artistic ornamentation inside and out, and a general freedom and want of stiffness in the building lines combine to make the general appearance of the new edifice, as foreshadowed by the plans, imposing, tasteful and creditable to the congregation of St. Andrews and the city of Victoria.

Enquire for Fernwood lots near the tramway line, adjoining Col. Dupont's residence.

LITTLE LOCALS.

The regular meeting of the Board of School Trustees will be held this evening.

Canmore Lots—Crane, McGregor & Co.

The "ENDLESS WEAR" knit hose for boys at the CITY HOUSE. tf

Dr. Guthrie went over to Westminster on Sunday night in connection with his little racket with the bank.

An immense rush for Overcoats and P Jackets at Gilmore & McCandless'. tf

Call to-day for Canmore—Only 190 lots.

Arrangements are in progress at Vancouver to banquet the Victoria football team on Saturday evening next at the Hotel Vancouver.

A weekly newspaper is to be started in the town of Nelson, B. C., early in April. Messrs. Allen and Houston, formerly of Truth, will manage the concern.

Stationery at Daley's, 91 Douglas St.

Stoves, tinware and house furnishing goods at McLennan & McFeely's, 70 Yates street.

No business or freight wagons, carts or drays are now allowed on the pleasure drives through Beacon Hill park.

For Sheffield razors, pocket knives, scissors, table cutlery, etc., go to M. & H. A. Fox, 78 Government street.

The only Canmore Lots on the market.

The biggest egg of the season was laid by a hen owned by Mr. M. D. Gleason, 91 Bay street, yesterday. It was a single-yolk, and measured 6¾ x 7¾.

While in San Francisco ex-Ald. Coughlan will purchase a plant for putting down asphalt pavement for streets.

To keep the house warm use the Champion Weather Strip, for sale by J. P. Burgess, No. 10 Broughton street.

Canmore—The Newcastle of America.

Get a warm air furnace, and have the whole house warm with but one fire. McLennan & McFeely.

The ladies of the R.C. church are already commencing to prepare for the annual church bazaar, which this year will be on a scale of unparalleled magnificence.

This evening the R. E. church series of conversaziones will be opened with a first-class entertainment in the school room.

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Advertising does pay and send your orders for coal to Central Coal office, 90½ Government street. Telephone call, No. 171. A HEATHORN.

Among the arrests made by the city police last evening was one poor unfortunate charged with stealing bread from a cabin on Herald street.

If you are intending going East, make a note of the C. P. R. excursions and specially fitted colonist sleepers. First-class travel at second-class rates. Robt. Irving, agent. tf

Geo. A. Price, who will be remembered as the individual who distinguished himself by trying to poison his daughter about two years ago, was registered at the city lock-up last evening for vagrancy.

The finest line of perfumes, toilet sets and fancy soaps, etc., is to be had at John Teague, jr.'s drug store, Poodle Dog block, Yates street. Prescriptions carefully compounded at any hour of the day or night. Telephone call 469.

To-night the beauty and culture of Victoria will take part in a conversazione to be held at the Reformed Episcopal school house. Much of the conversation will be about the bargains at R. A. Brown & Co.'s, Douglas street.

Mr. Marshall, the Scotch evangelist, opened a series of revival meetings in Moody's Block on Sunday evening and addressed another large audience last night.

Charles Blake, one of the guards at the Provincial jail, accidentally shot himself in the foot yesterday morning. His injury is not serious.

CUTTING prices on furniture seems to be the order of the day. Not wishing to be outdone by anybody, JACOB SEHL has decided to enter the cutting field and cut down prices 10 per cent. lower than any other firm, on the largest and best assorted stock in the province, of furniture, carpets, linoleum, matting, window blinds, crockery, glassware, lamps, etc. Call and convince yourself at Nos. 66 and 68 Government street.

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PERSONAL.

Lieut. Lang, R. E., is in the city.

J. Dougal went up to Vancouver this morning.

S. J. Pitts returned from the Sound last evening.

Jno. Hendry, of New Westminster, is at the Driard.

Jos. Mason, M.P.P., is recovering from his attack of la grippe.

J. W. McFarland, of Vancouver, is in the city.

Judge Bole and family arrived from Westminster on Sunday evening.

F. V. Bodwell, of Vancover, came over by the Islander on Sunday evening and returned this morning.

Alex. Ewen, the pioneer salmon canner, and Capt. Wm. Power of Moodyville, came over on Sunday evening.

Jno. A. Fullerton, manager of the China steamships, arrived over from Portland last evening, and left for Vancouver this morning.

W. H. Routledge returned last evening from a flying trip to New York, having been just 28 days absent from Victoria. Twenty-four days were spent on the road, during a portion of that time Mr. Routledge and his fellow-passengers enjoyed or endured all the incidents of the blockade, whiskey and snow for a few days being the principal food supply.

MARINE.

Steamer Maude leaves for Skidegate and way ports to-morrow. She will be followed by the Louise a few days later.

Steamer Yosemite will in all probability be placed on the Westminster route.

Steamer Rainbow leaves at 7 a. m. to-day for Nanaimo.

Steamship Batavia took on a pilot on Sunday morning and passed up to Vancouver.

Steamer Boscowitz will go north this week.

THE COLONIST SUPPLEMENT.

TO THE EDITOR: Will you permit me through your crowded columns to say a word in praise of the Sunday supplement, wherein wit, humor and useful information are so finely blended, that I think every library, bookcase and house in the country ought to preserve a copy. Everyone should read it and send copies to their friends. Whoever applies the scissors must be brilliant himself. No wonder the great publishing house of Rowell & Co. selected THE COLONIST for an advertising medium.

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That sold from 75c to $3.50 now selling at from 50c. to $2.50. A splendid assortment.

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A few very nice Dress patterns in jackards and bordered goods.

42 in. Atlantic plaids and stripes, 52½c.

42 in. Plain Serges, three qualities, from 50c. to 65c.

46 in. Henriettas, colors 1st quality, 65c. to 70c.

46 in. Henrietas, colors 2nd quality, 49c.

42 in. Cashmeres, colors, 43c.

42 in. Cashmeres, union colors, 23c.

46 in. Amazon Cloth, excellent quality, sold at $1.15, now 90c.

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Single width Woolens from 16c.

Single width Cotton Mixture from 10c.

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A few splendid dress ends in Black, Peau De Soe, Merv, etc., ranging from 57½c. to $1.35. These are rare bargains.

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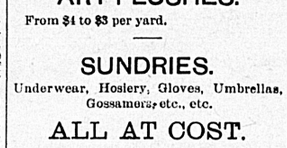

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